AMENDMENTS

In the Claims:

Please add the following new claims 34-43:

34. (New) An implant for drug release comprising:

a pharmacologically acceptable biodegradable polymer, wherein said biodegradable polymer is at least about 10 weight percent of the implant;

a first therapeutically active agent at a concentration from 1 to 80 weight percent of the implant;

a release modulator at a concentration from 10 to 50 weight percent of the implant;

wherein said implant is an anhydrous solid structure which is degraded at a site of implantation within the ocular region.

35. (New) An implant according to claim 34 wherein the site of implantation within the ocular region is selected from the group consisting of the anterior chamber, the posterior chamber, the vitreous cavity, the suprachoroidal space, the subconjunctiva, the episcleral, the intracorneal, the epicorneal, the sclera, and the pars plana.

36. (New) An implant according to claim 34, wherein the anhydrous solid structure is a sheet, fiber, or microsphere.

37. (New) An implant according to claim 34, wherein the biodegradable polymer is a copolymer of glycolic and lactic acid.

38. (New) An implant according to claim 34 wherein the first therapeutically active agent is a steroid.

39. (New) An implant for drug release comprising:

a pharmacologically acceptable biodegradable polymer, wherein said biodegradable polymer is at least about 10 weight percent of the implant;

a first therapeutically active agent at a concentration from 1 to 80 weight percent of the implant;

a release modulator at a concentration from 10 to 50 weight percent of the implant;

wherein said implant is an anhydrous solid structure sized for implantation within the ocular region and is degraded at a site of implantation.

40. (New) An implant according to claim 39 wherein the anhydrous solid structure is a sheet, fiber, or microsphere.

41. (New) An implant according to claim 39 wherein the anhydrous solid structure is a sheet, the sheet having dimensions in the range of about 3-10 mm x 5-10 mm and a thickness of about 0.1 to about 1.0 mm.

42. (New) An implant according to claim 39 wherein the anhydrous solid structure is a fiber, the fiber having a diameter in the range of about 0.05 to about 3 mm and a length in the range of about 0.5 to about 10 mm.

43. (New) An implant according to claim 39 wherein the anhydrous solid structure is a microsphere, the microsphere having a diameter in the range of about 2μm to about 4μm.